

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION

(Use several sheets if necessary)

APPLICANT(S)
Nishiwaki et al.

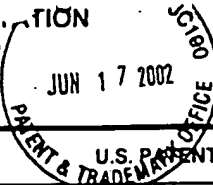
FILING DATE

04/25/2002

GROUP

3728

JUN 17 2002



U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
AB	A	D 392451	3/24/98	Collins et al.			
	B	D 405592	2/16/99	Strawser et al.			
	C	D 424289	5/9/00	Sorofman			
	D	D 432770	10/31/00	Breault			
	E	D 447852	9/18/2001	Schroeder			
	F	4120102	10/17/78	Kenigson			
	G	4217907	8/19/80	Meiller			
	H	4316335	2/23/82	Giese et al.			
	I	4521979	6/11/85	Blaser			
	J	4624062	11/25/86	Autry			
	K	4845863	7/11/89	Yung-Mao			

RECEIVED
JUN 24 2002
TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO
AB	L	55-47804	1980	Japan				✓
	M	61-021436	1/30/86	Japan			✓	
	N	63-194801	1987	Japan				✓
	O	03170102	7/23/91	Japan			✓	
	P	03-170104	7/23/91	Japan			✓	

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

		Q	ASICS Spring 2002 Footwear Catalog, page1, published May 16, 2001					

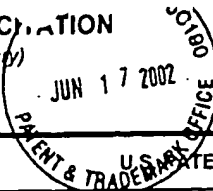
EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION

(Use several sheets if necessary)



APPLICANT(S)
Nishiwaki et al.

FILING DATE
04/25/2002

GROUP
3728

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
<i>AS</i>	R	5042175	7/11/89	Ronen et al			
	S	5044096	9/3/91	Polegato			
	T	5086574	2/11/92	Bacchiocchi			
	U	5092060	3/3/92	Frachey et al.			
	V	5172494	12/22/92	Davidson			
	W	5233767	8/10/93	Kramer			
	X	5343639	9/6/94	Kilgore et al.			
	Y	5369896	12/6/94	Frachey et al.			
	Z	5448839	9/12/95	Blissett et al.			
	AA	5611152	3/18/97	Richard et al			
<i>AS</i>	AB	5625965	5/6/97	Blissett et al.			

RECEIVED
JUN 24 2002
TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO
<i>AS</i>	AC	08-038211	2/13/96	Japan			✓	
<i>AS</i>	AD	11-113605	4/27/99	Japan			✓	
<i>AS</i>	AE	20001197503-A	7/18/00	Japan			✓	

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION

(Use several sheets if necessary)

JUN 17 2002

APPLICANT(S)

Nishiwaki et al.

FILING DATE

04/25/2002

GROUP

3728

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
AF		5625965	5/6/97	Blissett et al.			
AG		5782014	7/21/98	Peterson			
AH		5832634	11/10/98	Wong			
AI		5987781	11/23/99	Pavesi et al.			
AJ		5992052	11/30/99	Moretti			
AK		6007503	12/28/99	Berger et al.			
AL		6035559	3/14/00	Freed et al.			
AM		6041521	3/28/00	Wong			
AN		6041522	3/28/00	Anteby			
AO		6125557	10/3/00	Brown			
AP		6131310	10/17/00	Fang			

RECEIVED
JUN 24 2002
TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Form PTO-A820

(also form PTO-1449)

Copyright 1994 by LegalStar

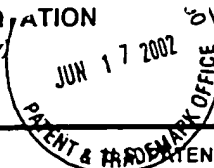
P09C/REV03

Patent and Trademark Office * U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

PAGE 3 OF 4

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION

(Use several sheets if necessary)



APPLICANT(S)
Nishiwaki et al.

FILING DATE
04/25/2002

GROUP
3728

PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
<i>AA</i>	AQ	6205684	3/27/01	Snyder			
<i>AA</i>	AR	6161315	12/19/00	Dalton			
<i>AA</i>	AS	6234987	5/22/2001	Chen			
<i>AA</i>	AT	6269555	8/7/01	Brown			
<i>AA</i>	Au	6282816	9/4/01	Rosendahl			

RECEIVED
JUN 24 2002
TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

EXAMINER <i>Anthony J. Blustein</i>	DATE CONSIDERED <i>9/29/03</i>
--	-----------------------------------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

4/25/05

Anthony J. Blustein